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SIDE GLANCES



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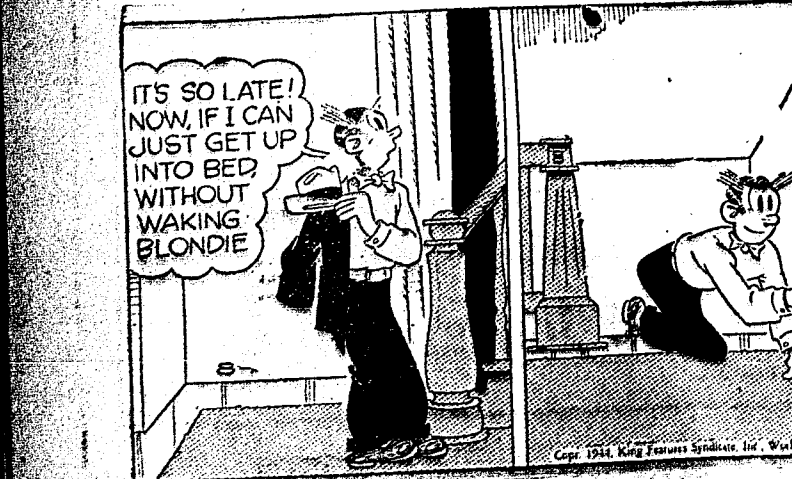
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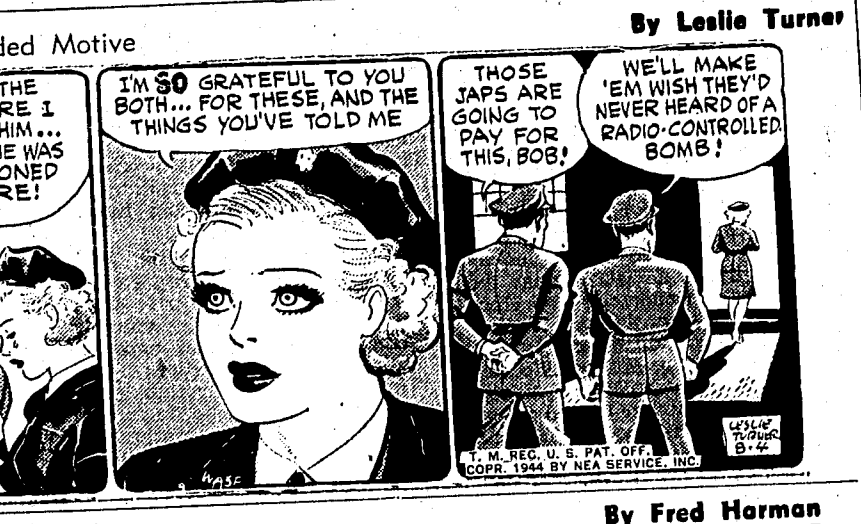
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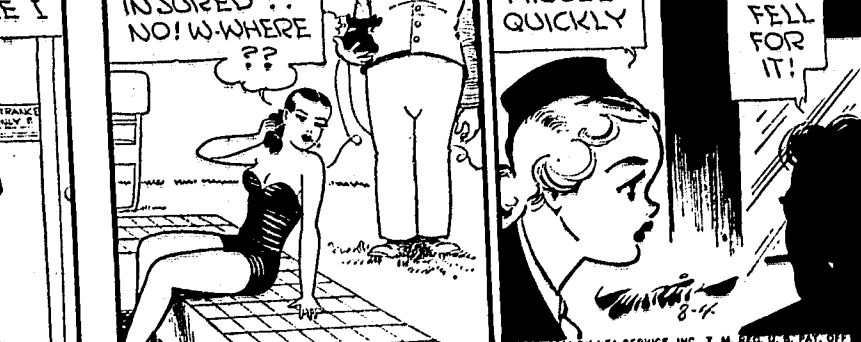
Hand to resist Wheaties. Those "em" for yourself. Step up to a big whole wheat flakes are famous for giving slow starting appetites and Wheaties. "Breakfast of Champions"—tomorrow morning into "second helping" farm. Try!



Added Motive
WELL, MAKE THEM WISH THEY NEVER HEARD OF THIS BOY!



Brotherly Love
I'M SO GRATEFUL TO YOU BOTH. I'VE TOLD ME THE THINGS YOU'VE TOLD ME!



So Far, So Good
MIGUEL!—I INSURED? NO! NO! WHERE??

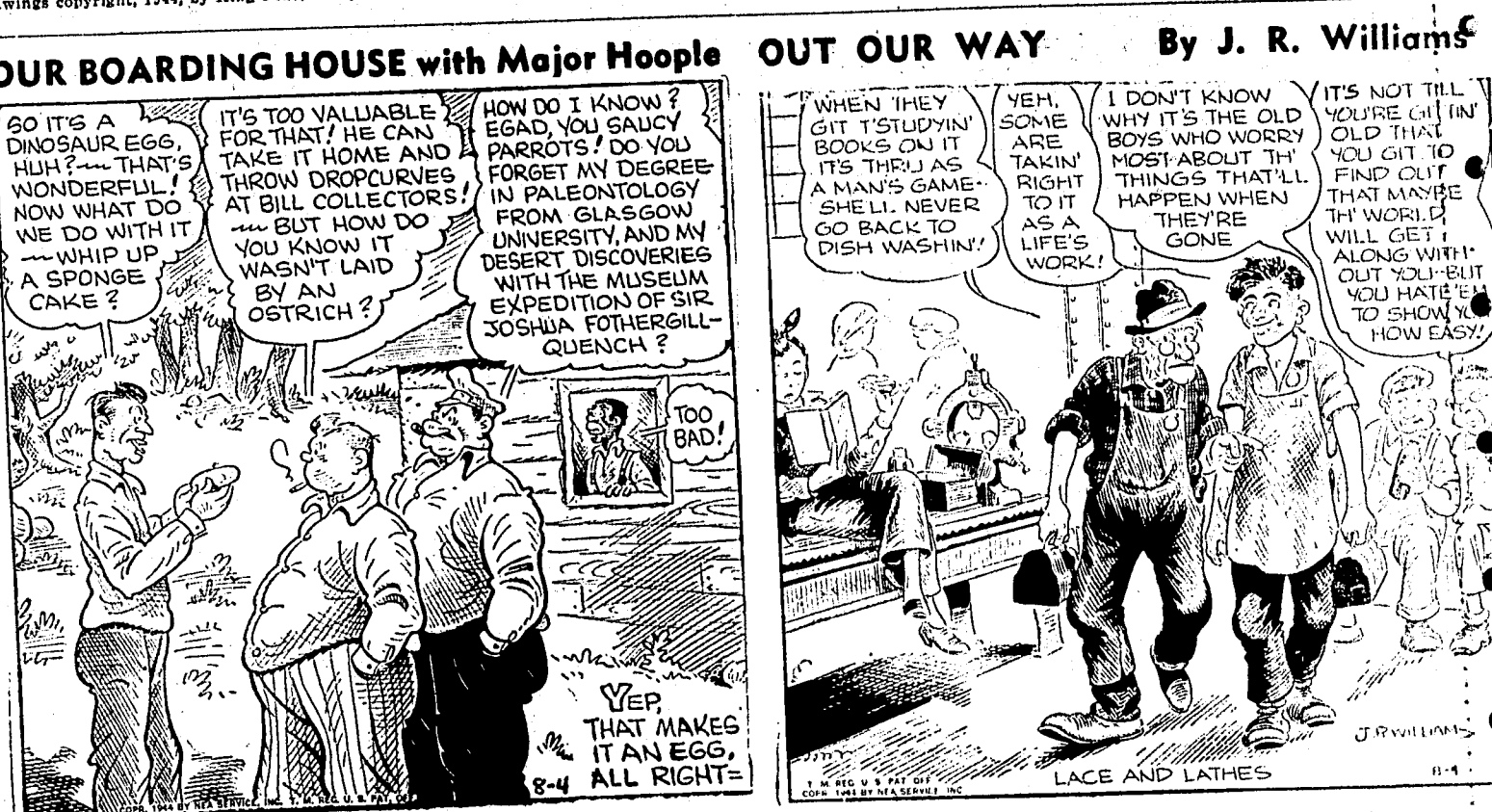


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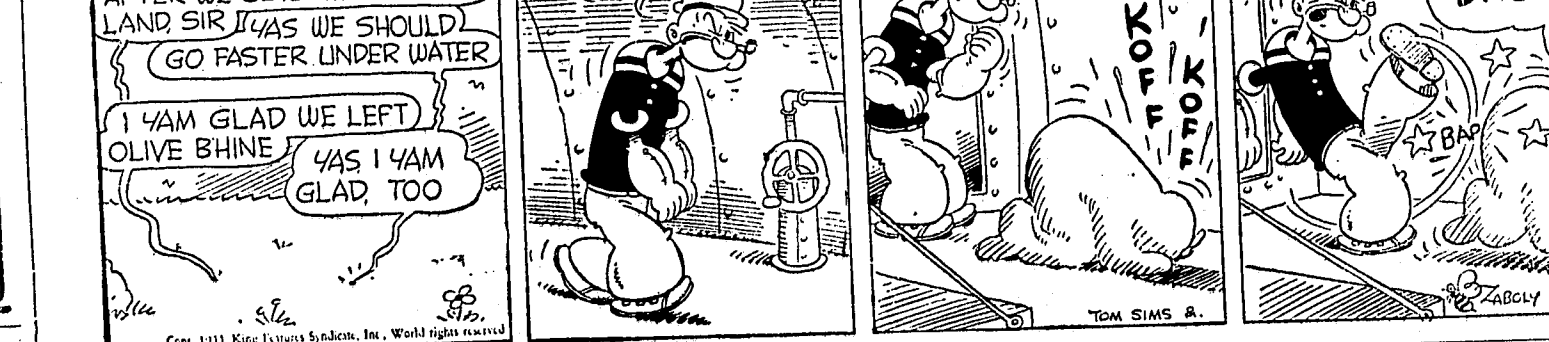
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The C. I. O. "Issue"

Attempts to hang the C. I. O. onto Bill Fulbright's candidacy have been made (1) by an anonymous circular quoting the Memphis Commercial Appeal (that newspaper sharply criticized this unjustified attack on Bill Fulbright) and (2) by "disclosure" of obviously arranged correspondence between two men OUTSIDE ARKANSAS. Don't you know that Adkins would be jumping up and down, denouncing Fulbright? That's the sort of "issue" raised by Homer Adkins now. Bill Fulbright does not regard the Welfare Department's employment of Negro staff members as

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For insinuating that Bill Fulbright, who will be 40 next April, is a slacker, Adkins has been rebuked by Draft Board members. Newspapers, World War I veterans, Arkansans now in military service and all who scratched Adkins' name July 25.

What Adkins neglects to explain is that it was the State Selective Service office, headed by its appointee, General Comper, which decided that a Pope county board should classify Bill Fulbright.

General Comper's office could have required that the Washington County Board handle the case, although the chairman of that board was a law associate of Bill Fulbright's opponent in the Third District Congressional Campaign, then in progress.

But General Comper's office—no one else—elected to direct the Pope County Board to classify Bill Fulbright, and it placed him in S.A. along with other pre-Pearl Harbor fathers.

The G-I "Issue"

Adkins asks you to believe that Bill Fulbright was not for the G. I. Bill of Rights.

On this "issue" he seeks to prejudice men in the armed services and their families against Bill Fulbright.

Henry Cochran, commander of Lynn Shotton Post No. 27, American Legion, has made public a letter he received from Bill Fulbright two months before the G. I. Bill was voted on, in which Congressman Fulbright gave the legislation his unequivocal endorsement.

Not a single vote was cast against the Act, and the Congressional Record of the vote reflects Bill Fulbright's pair for the measure. He was in Arkansas at the time, prepared to leave his campaign and return to Washington if the bill had been in jeopardy.

These facts, having been made public, were available to Adkins. But still he continues his campaign of misrepresentation and hate.

The "World Education Issue"

Because Secretary of State Hull invited Bill Fulbright to serve as chairman of the United States delegation at an international conference on post-war education, Adkins charges that Bill Fulbright wants this country to pay for educating the world. That, of course, is ridiculous. If Bill Fulbright had declined to accept the appointment tendered by Secretary Hull, don't you know that Adkins would now be saying that he (Fulbright) had shirked a duty to his country and had been afraid to go to London?

The Conference plan set up an Allied Commission through which the war-devastated countries can purchase school supplies in the United States, with their own money which they have on deposit here. Fulbright has not proposed that one dollar of American money be spent to educate Europe.

Bill Fulbright's concern for improved educational facilities for Arkansas is well known. He utilized the schools placed at disposal of Arkansas's youth by the taxpayers; he was president of the State University, his alma mater; he has two children who will attend Arkansas schools.

His opponent's interest in education is purely political.

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We Apologize!

This is a most disagreeable task, but it is a duty which we in Pulaski county owe to the rest of the state, for it was here that Homer Adkins got his start in politics.

We had hoped, when he was elected governor, that his political standards had improved through the years—but to our sorrow we find that he still seeks to advance himself by spreading hatred—by creating divisions among our people.

We in Pulaski county thoroughly repudiated him July 25th, when 13,439 citizens, out of 17,073, scratched his name. Bill Fulbright carried our county then, and his majority on August 8th will be between 10,000 and 12,000.

It would not be becoming of Senator-to-be Bill Fulbright to take time out from his presentation of the real issues in order to give detailed answers to the distortions and misrepresentations directed at him by his desperate, despairing opponent, whose strident tones over the radio are reminiscent of the ranting that used to ride the air waves from central Europe.

Hate! Hate! Hate! Every word, every phrase, every sentence from Adkins is full of it.

It's no pleasure, but we deem it a privilege to set down here, in as few words as possible, the simple facts about the ridiculous charges with which Adkins is filling his speeches, his advertisements, his handbills. His charges against Bill Fulbright are as groundless as those he filed against John L. McClellan in 1936—when the Senate investigating committee reported were false.

PULASKI COUNTY CITIZENS SUPPORTING
BILL FULBRIGHT FOR U. S. SENATOR

THIS IS A RESPONSE TO

ADKINS' CAMPAIGN OF HATE

The FACTS

Now let's see just what was the question on which Fulbright voted, and to which Adkins takes exception?

It was not whether a Negro would be employed by the government.

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It was whether the National House of Representatives was to establish a precedent for taking time out from important business to say what persons should be hired by executive departments.

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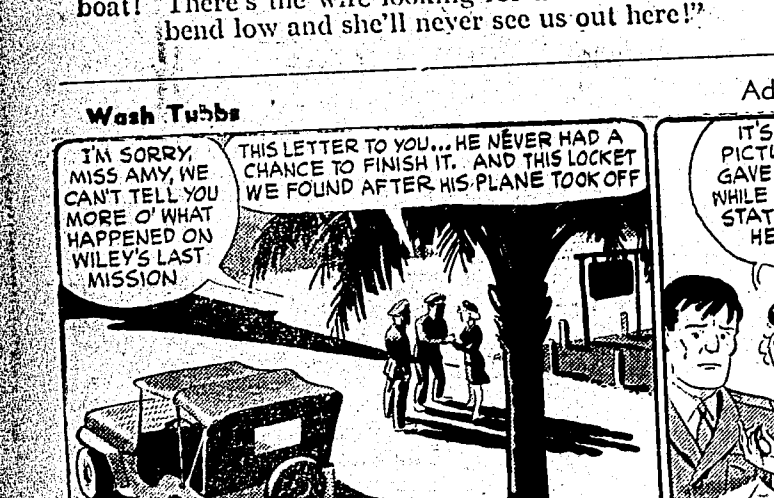
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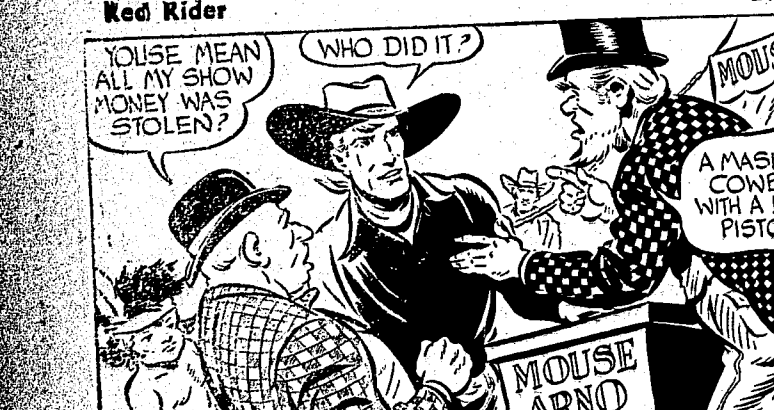
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"I'm sorry, but I can't tell you more of what happened on Wiley's last mission."



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The U. S. dollar is the monetary unit of the Dominican Republic.



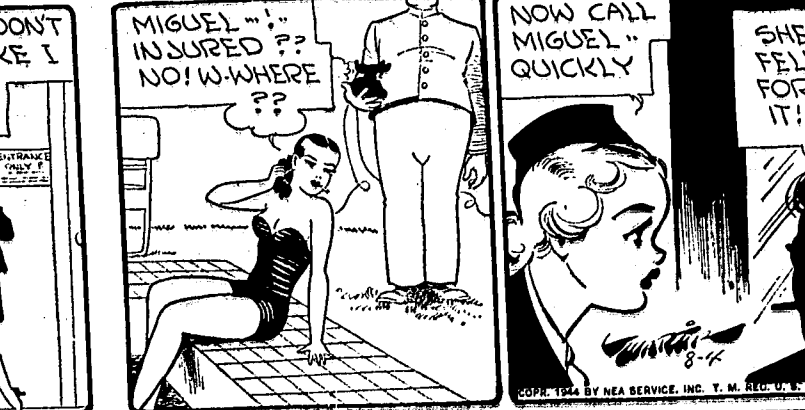
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"The next witness called was Thomas L. Cameron, a stocky, weather-beaten caretaker of the yacht club where Burbank kept his yacht. He said Burbank had taken his vessel out at 11:30 A.M. on the fatal Friday. Burbank returned in an hour, was gone until eight o'clock, to the yacht in the dinghy at 5 P.M."

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"Exactly. This evidence of this is important."

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"IT'S TOO VALUABLE FOR THAT! HE CAN TAKE IT HOME AND THROW DROPPERS AT BILL COLLECTORS!"

"BUT HOW DO YOU KNOW IT WASN'T LAID BY AN OSTRICH?"

"HOW DO I KNOW? I HEARD YOU SAY PARROTS DO YOU FORGET IN DEGREE (N. H. BENTON) FROM GLASSBORO UNIVERSITY AND HIS DESERT DISCOVERIES WITH THE MUSEUM EXPEDITION OF SOLOMON ISLANDS—QUENCH?"

"TOO BAD!"

"YEP, THAT MAKES IT AN EGG, ALL RIGHT!"

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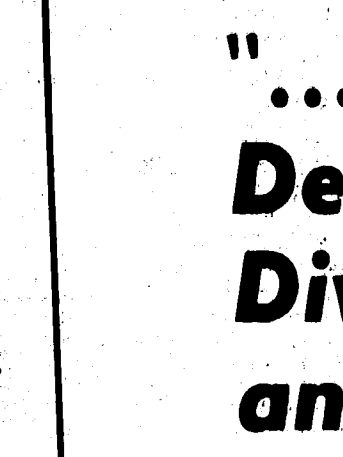
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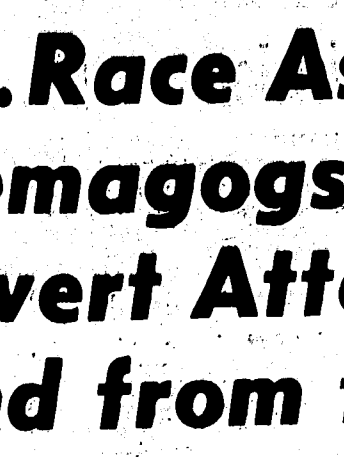
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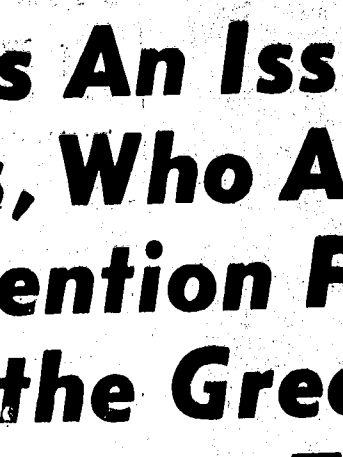
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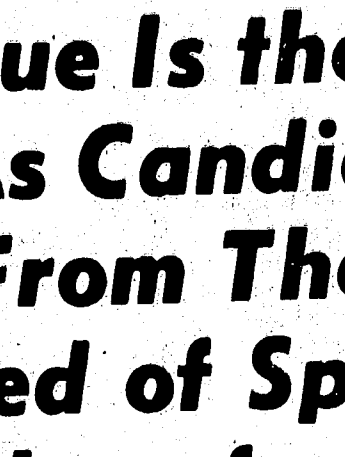
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Suppose that Bill Fulbright were governor and that Adkins were his opponent. And suppose that in the Welfare Department, for the operation of which the governor is responsible to the people, there were two Negro case workers and a Negro stenographer, working in the same office with white members of the staff.

Don't you know that Adkins would be jumping up and down, denouncing Fulbright?

That's the sort of "issue" raised by Homer Adkins now.

Bill Fulbright does not regard the Welfare Department's employment of Negro staff members as

an issue on which to make a campaign for the Senate. Negro staff members are employed by the State Welfare Department, but Bill Fulbright has not attempted to impugn Adkins' attitude on the racial problem—even though Adkins is the first governor under which this condition has existed.

Adkins is conducting his bid for office in a campaign of hatred, and incitement of suspicion and distrust among our people.

Bill Fulbright asks support on the basis of his record and ability.

The people know which of these men will bring credit to the state; and which would not. Their votes July 25th are proof of that.

Bill Fulbright simply stood his ground. He didn't think Congress ought to single out individuals for such actions—and he voted his convictions, first, when there were four involved, and again, when only one was concerned.

Here are the details: Four men were named in an amendment to an appropriation bill as unfit for federal employment. They had not been tried and convicted by any tribunal, but the Republicans furnished enough votes to pass the amendment. Next day, they discovered that one of the four was a Negro. The Republicans backed up—so far as the Negro was concerned.

Bill Fulbright voted against establishing such a precedent. Time has proved him right. No further attempt has been made to adopt such a practice.

That is the language of Methodist women of the South. Already this year, candidates who injected the race issue in their campaigns have been defeated in several Southern States.

In its issue of May 16, 1944, the Arkansas Gazette said editorially:

It's not the highest ground to put it on, but a sufficient reason for not appealing to race prejudices in a political campaign is that it won't work. Or at least it didn't work in the three states of the Deep South in which it was invoked (Alabama, Florida, Georgia).

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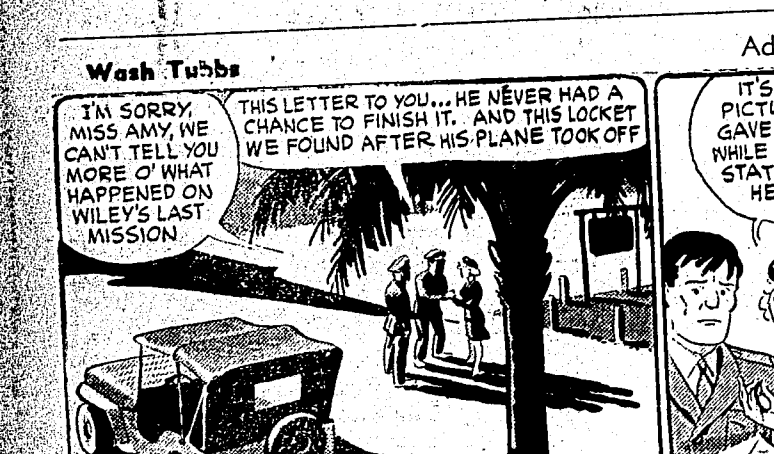
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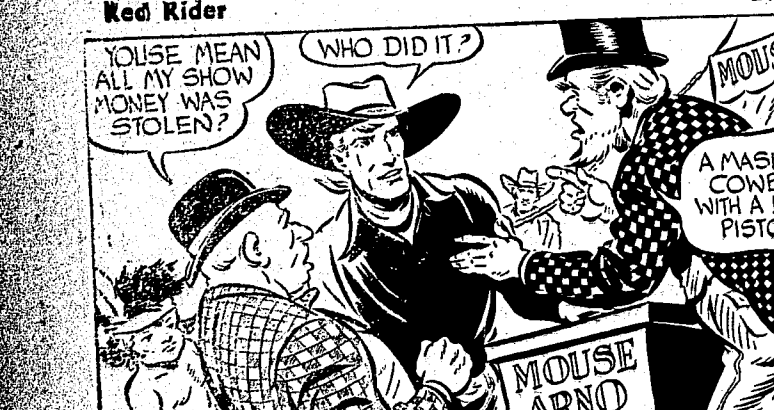
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and low and she'll never see us out here!



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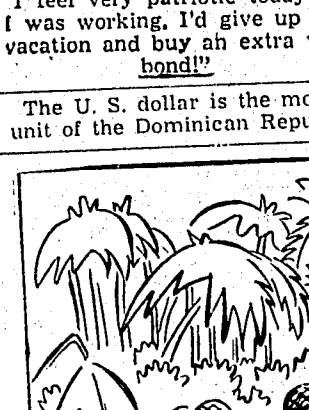
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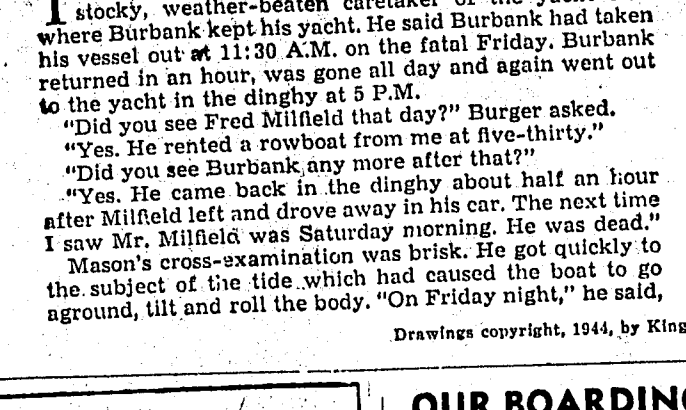
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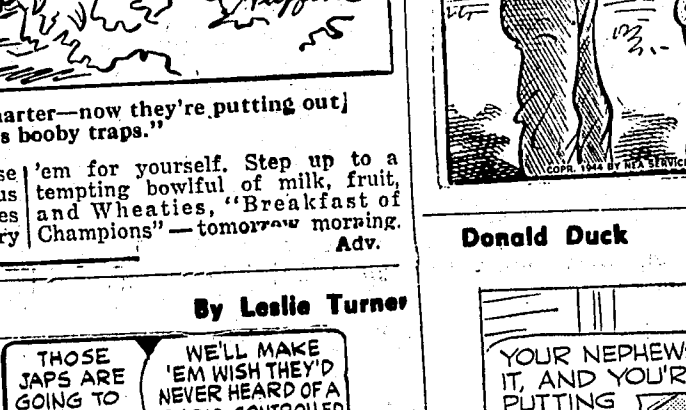
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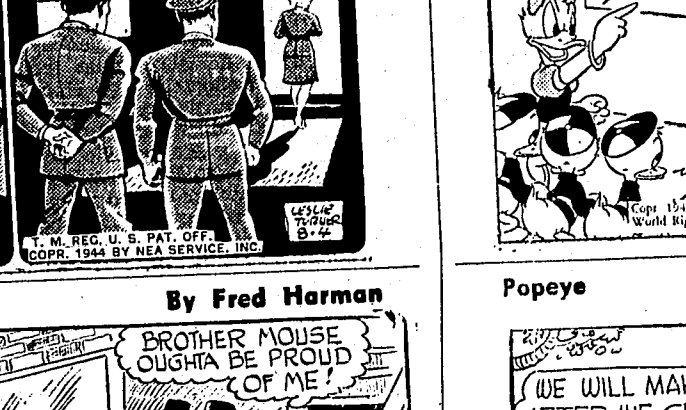
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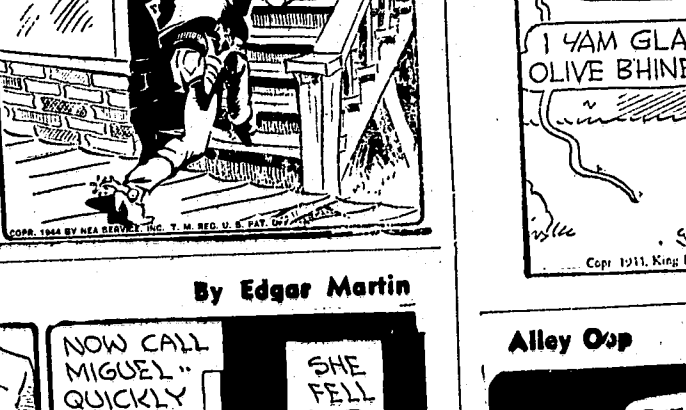
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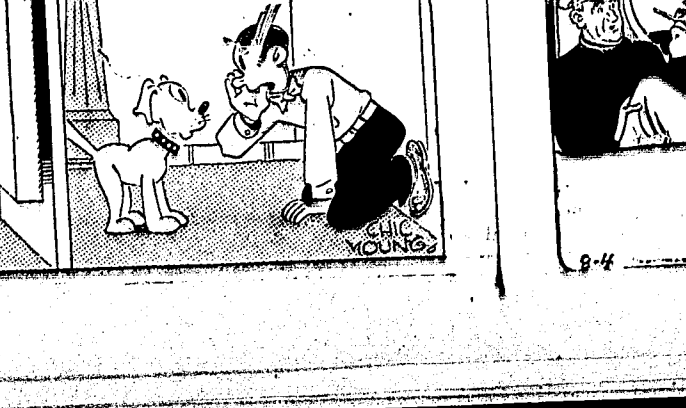
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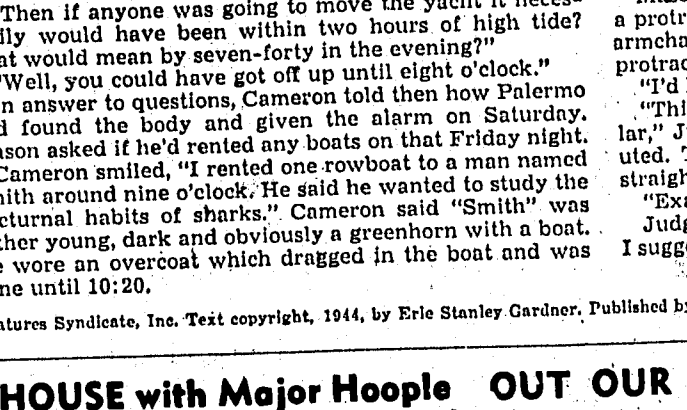
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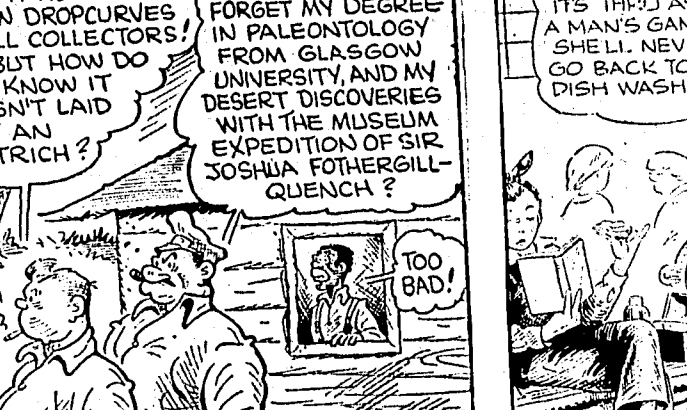
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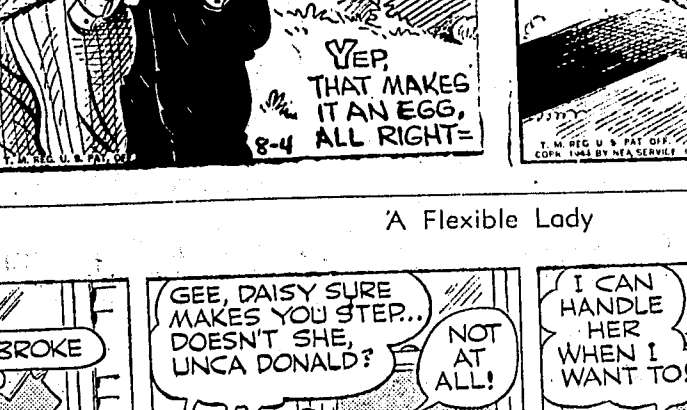
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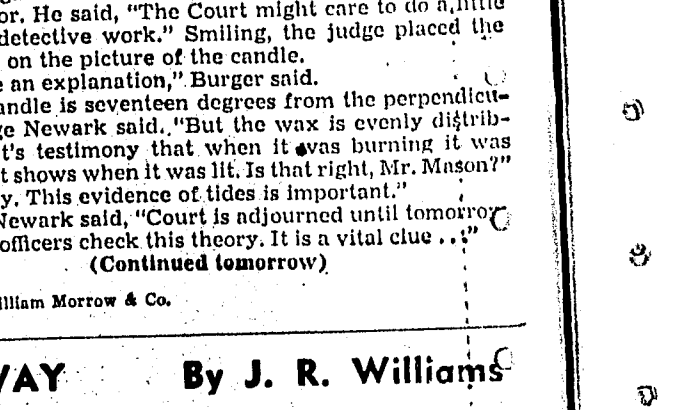
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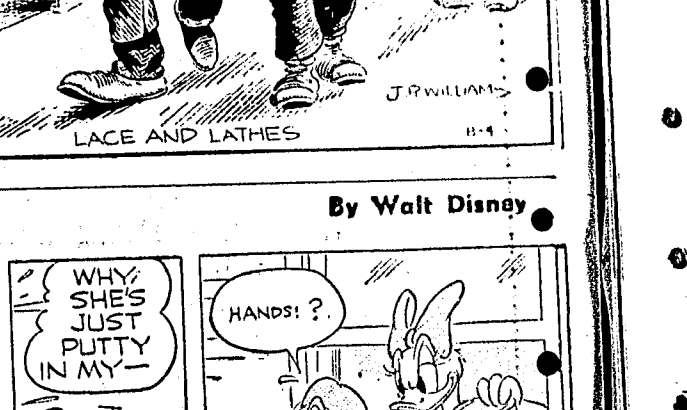
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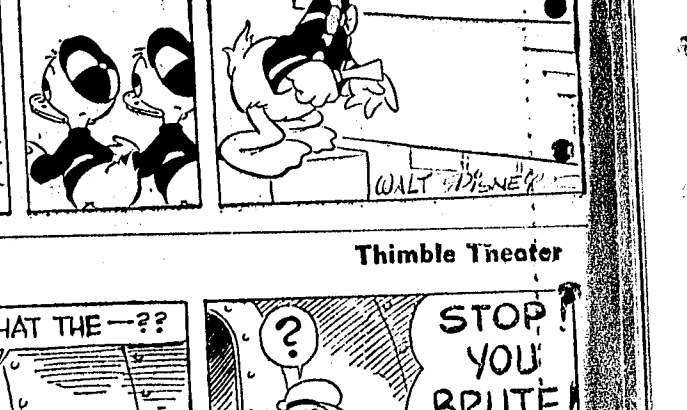
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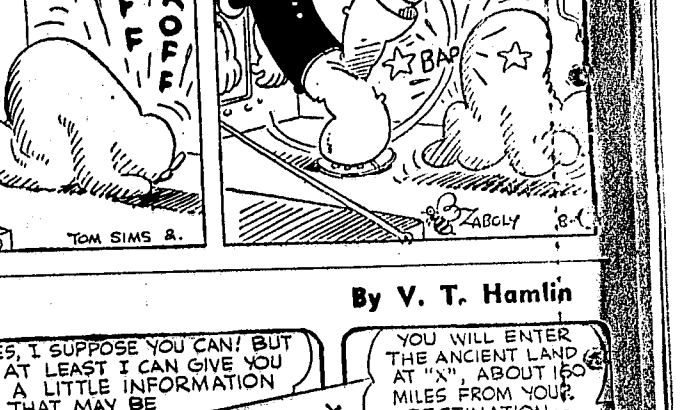
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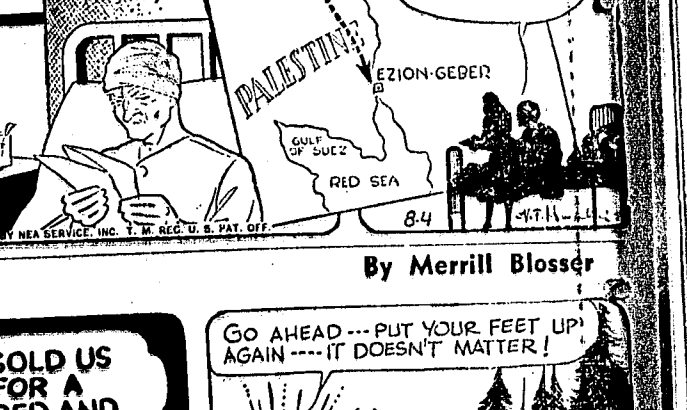
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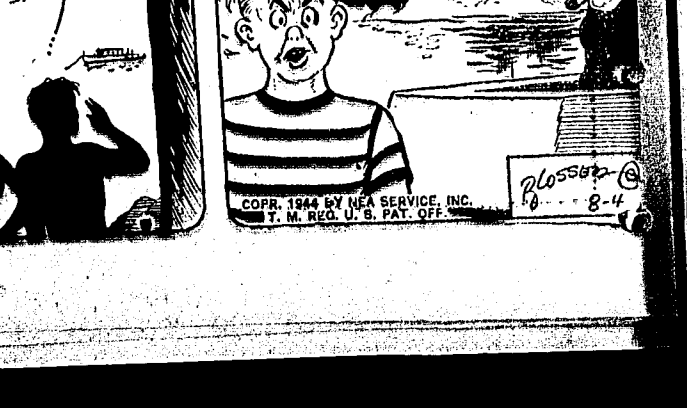
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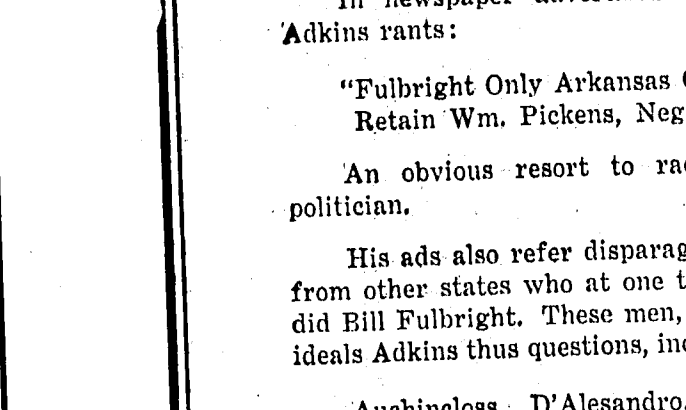
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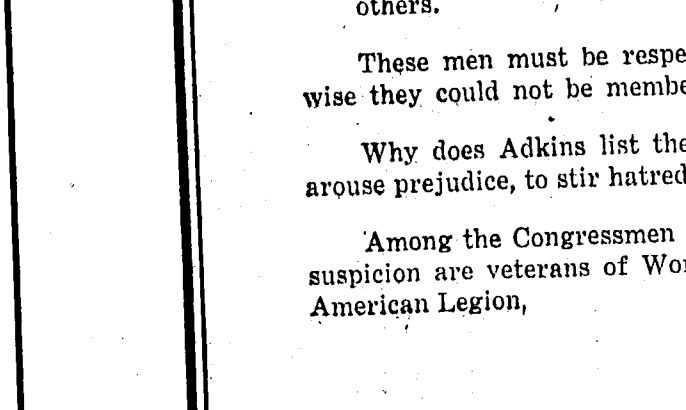
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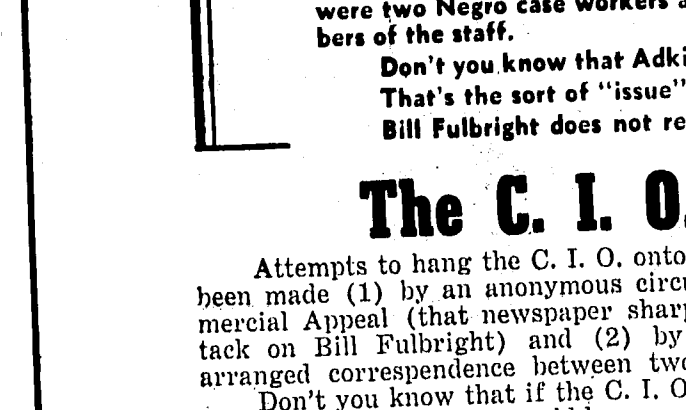
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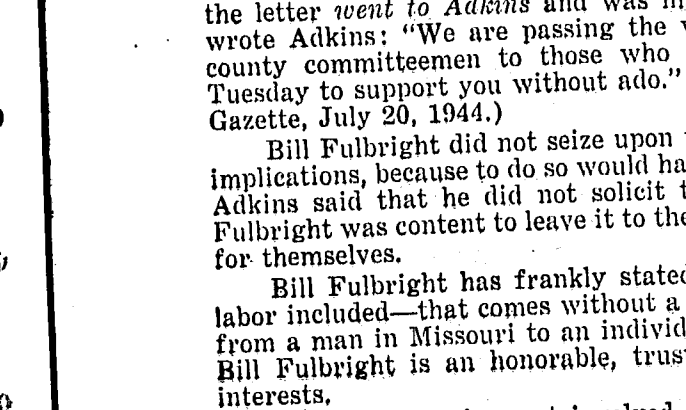
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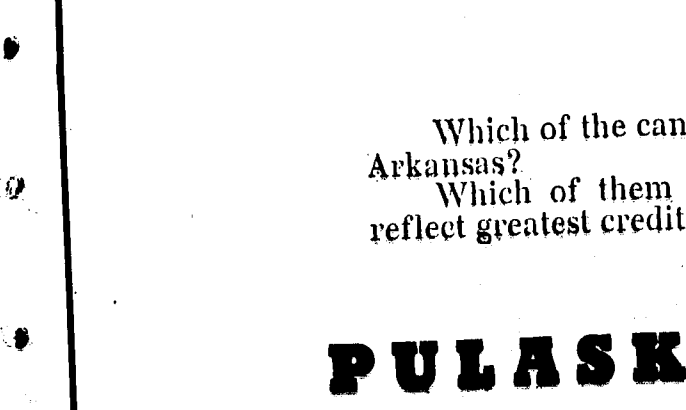
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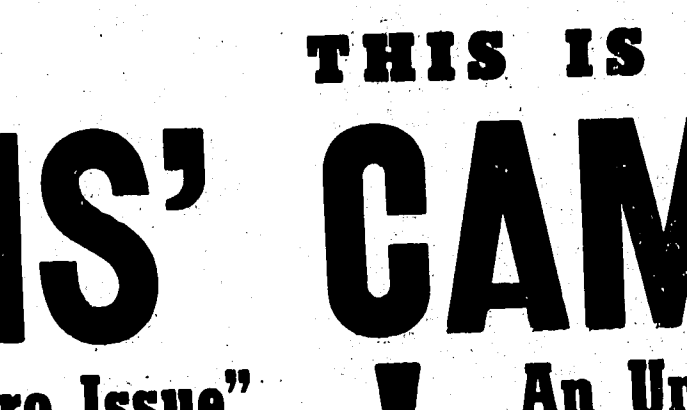
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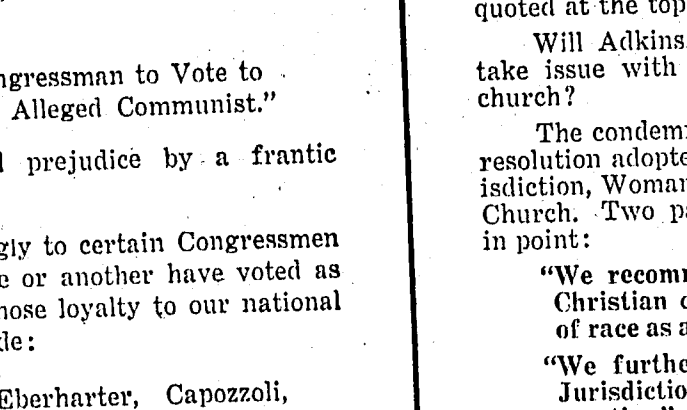
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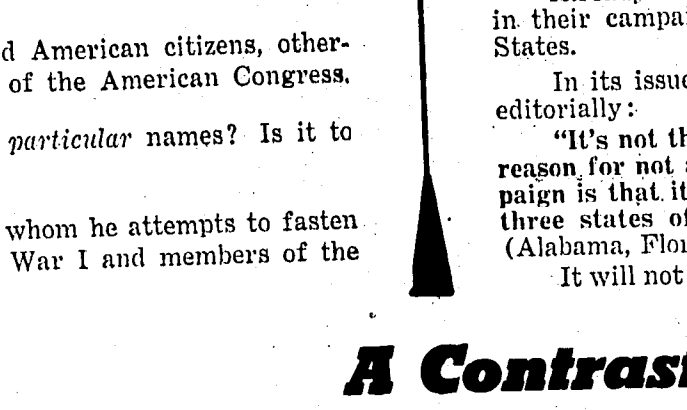
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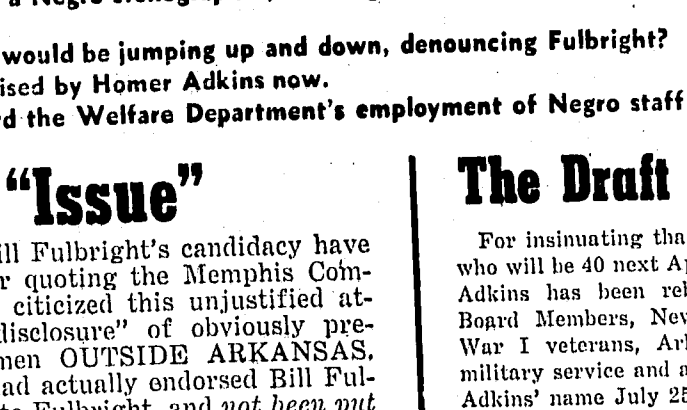
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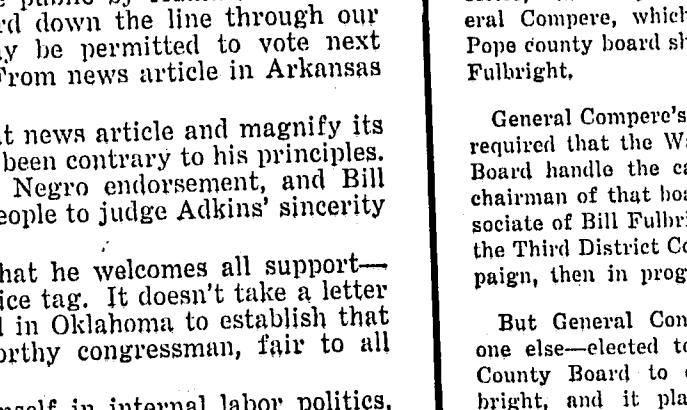
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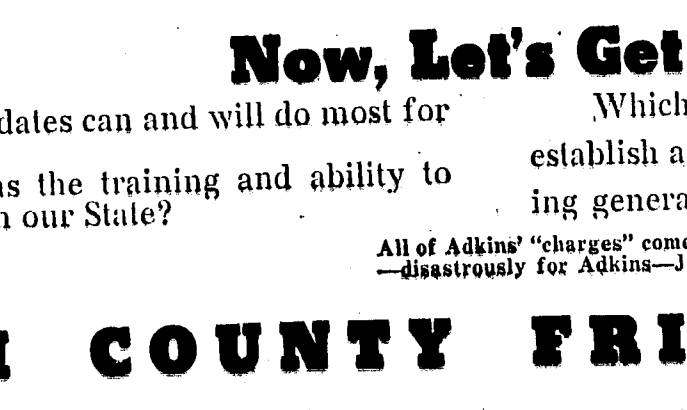
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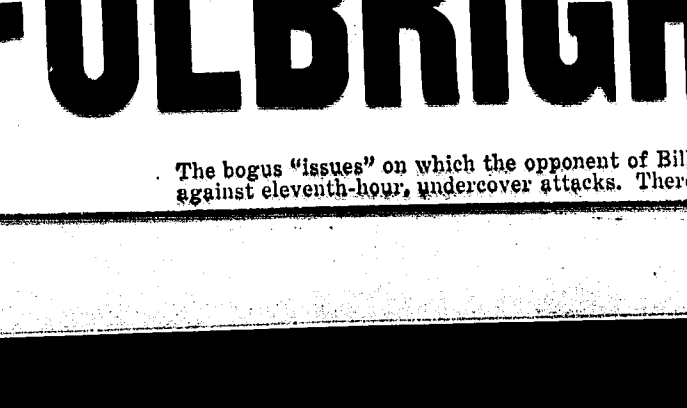
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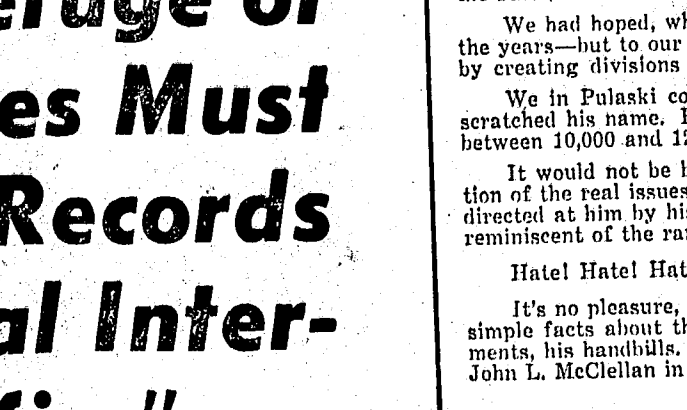
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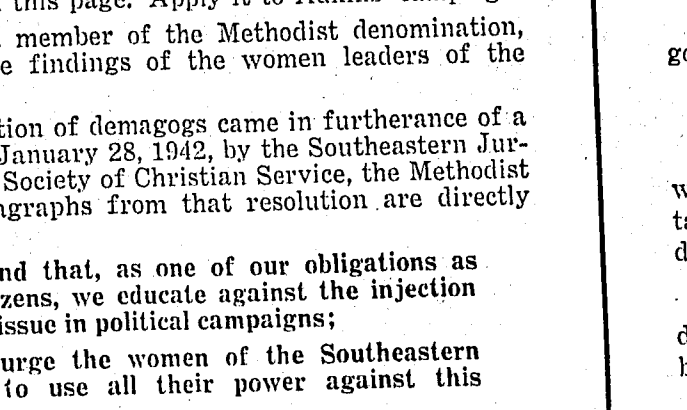
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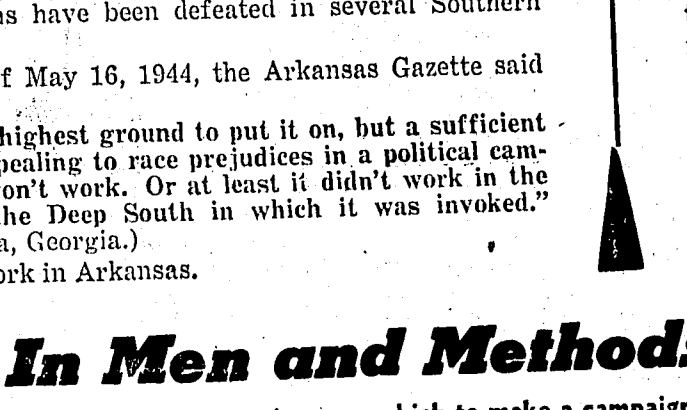
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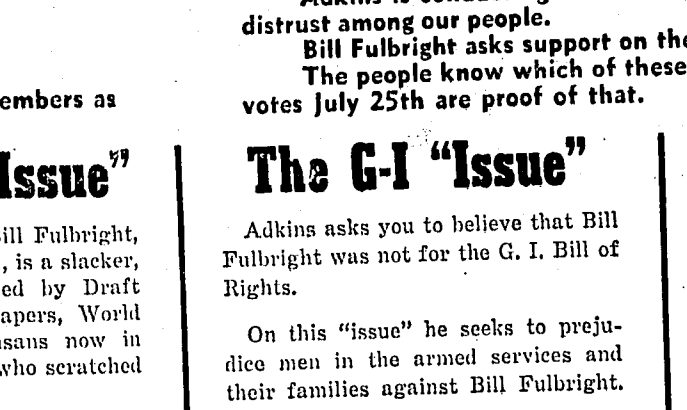
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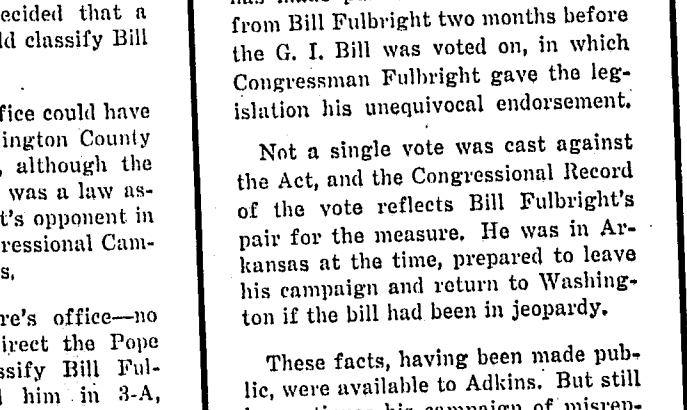
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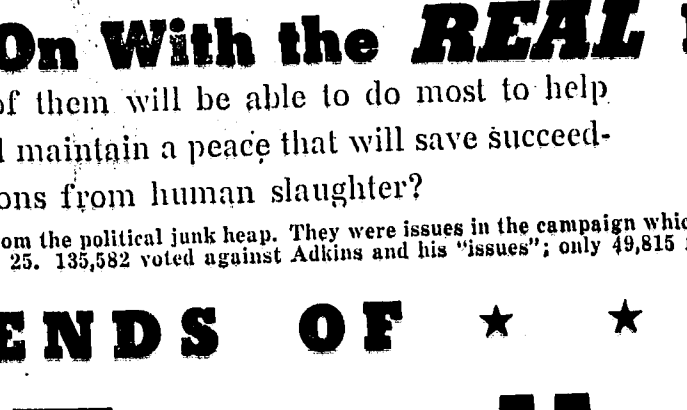
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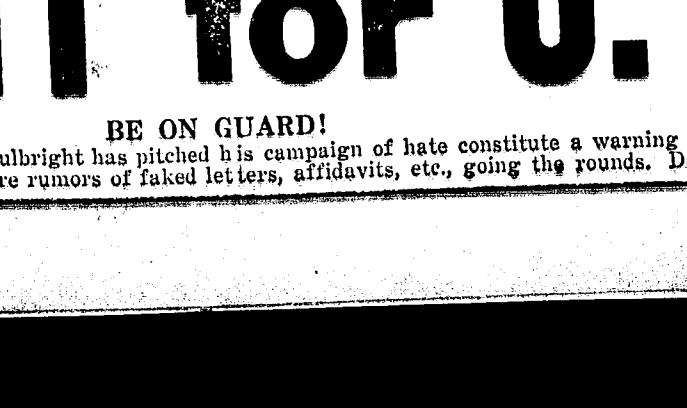
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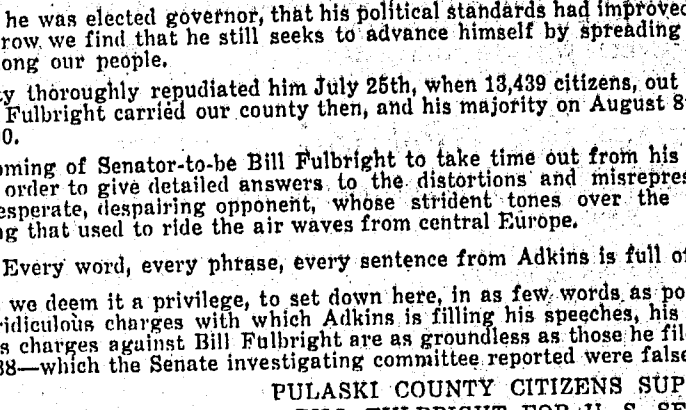
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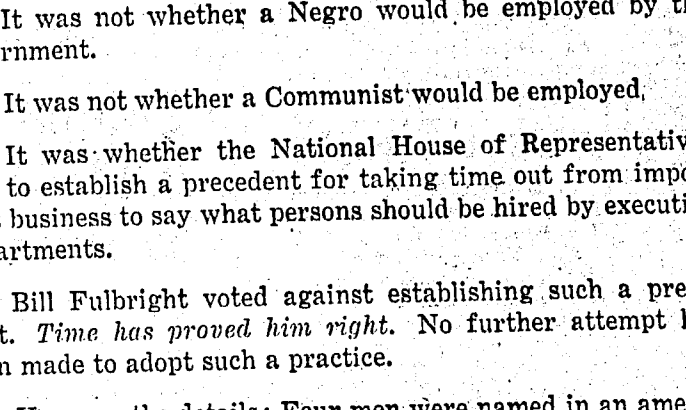
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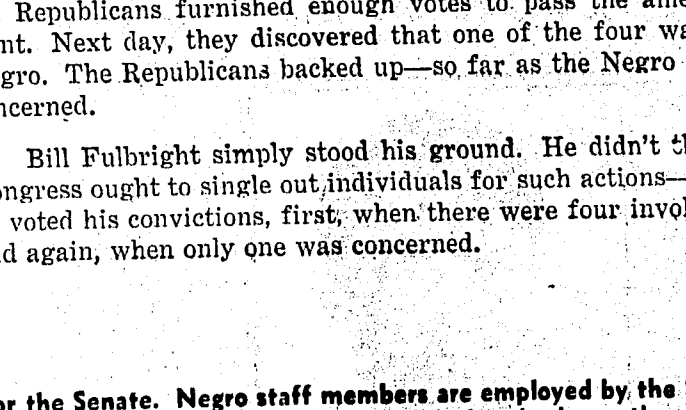
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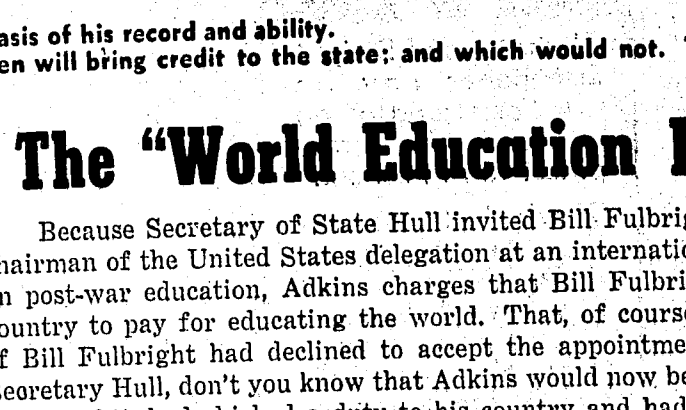
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8th Pins Nazis Against Arno; Florence Falls

By NOLAN NORGARD

Russians Now Fighting in East Prussia

By LEWIS HAWKINS

The German-controlled Vichy radio said the Americans were within 18 miles of Nantes and were trying to cut off the peninsula from the rest of France. Early in the day the Germans acknowledged American units had reached Pontivy, halfway up the peninsula, about 75 miles air line from Brest). Supreme headquarters were chary about the reports. "The Americans have carried the ground war to German soil for the first time since the conflict started by penetrating into Germany," said the U.S. Army in Prussia, Berlin reports indicated today, and Moscow dispatches said "fires are raging in Eastern Prussia towns which are objectives of Red Army infantry attacks."

command announced that "although the enemy proclaimed that he regards Florence as an open city, he has been forced to fight for military targets, and when out-fought south of the city has blown up all the bridges except the historic Ponte Vecchio. His paratroopers, however, are posted along the Arno, bank of the Arno

of details of today's operations, possibly in an effort to keep precise information of the swift Allied advance from the disorganized Germans. There were no late reports from correspondents in the field.

Only isolated instances of resistance to the Britany drives were reported.

The German high command, however, said there was fighting in the "Sudauen-Schauen" Allied area, and that the German line for the eastern part of East Prussia between the rivers Inster and Angerapp and the Masurian lakes.

While the battle for Warsaw to the south rages, the Red Army is pushing the Red Army to the south.

There were no reports today indicating actual fighting within the borders of the Reich, but the Eighth Army units, and an Allied spokesman said "it is clear that the enemy intends to oppose the crossing of the Arno on both sides and the city which remain in no man's land."

Along the south side of the Arno, British, Indian, New Zealand and South African forces crushed the Nazis back to the river, to cut the weakening defenders into small formations.

Advance elements reported on into Florence were positioned against the enemy in a brief defensive action, reminiscent of the

than 100 RAF Halifax bombers packing solid "factory-bomb" attacks on the thick concrete U-boat pens at the port at noon with the idea of preventing the submarines from escaping in the interval.

For the direct assault was started.

To the north in Normandy German troops were in a general withdrawal from the whole

East Prussian border north of Wirballen (Virbalis).

Virbalis is a frontier post about a mile from the town of Prastavka.

The village itself is two or three miles from the station on the main railway between Kaunas, former capital of Lithuania, and Prastavka, largest city of East-Prus-

flurry of fighting on the outskirts of Rome, which the Nazis found necessary in order to keep the city secure against their main forces from the east.

It was suggested that the Germans possibly possessed Panzer divisions because it is unsuitable for wheeled traffic. It resembles the old London bridge, with shops built on the bridge.

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Giving up 50 square miles of territory in a five-mile retreat, the Germans before the Canadian front divisions.

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Smoke floats over several lands and we can smell things burning," said a *Pravda* correspondent published in Moscow which told of burning East-Prussian towns.

On either side of a narrow pathway above the stream.

To oppose possible Eighth Army crossings on either side of Florence, the Germans have massed artillery on the heights around Fiesole, three miles to the northeast. From there the enemy has direct observation of Allied movements in the Arno valley.

While absorbing the Allied

path to be moving their forces back and forth in great confusion. A Canadian officer at the front said: "The enemy is now extremely windy. He is trying desperately to provide some kind of a bolt hole for himself. These are moves of desperation."

After six days of battling, British troops smothered loose Villers-Bocaux.

command from the Florence National Committee of Liberation said the Germans had evacuated inhabitants of the city from the entire town bank.

Only minor progress was reported on the remainder of the Eighth Army front, while on the Fifth Army's sector along the Tiber, American artillery and German

cage, the keystone of the German defenses west of the Orme river, took at least 15 towns and villages.

Advancing on an eight-mile front, the Tommies swarmed into captured Viller-Bocage and captured Noyers, Bagny, Evreux and Villiers. The 113 — all points the Germans had fought bitterly for weeks

Southeast Asia Command Headquarters, Kandy, Ceylon, Aug. 5, reported a capture of "14 controlled promises" and faulty hospital procedure caused an "almost complete breakdown in morale" in one of the most famous armies in the world. The British 11th Tank Brigade's Merrill's Marauders, during the siege of Myitkyina, it was announced of-

Sgt. F. D. Leverett, Aerial Gunner, Is Given Air Medal

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Leverett of

Blevins' have flown over the British Isles, and the British Royal Air Force has shot down an aerial gunner on a B-24, the first downing in England, has received the air medal.

The Turks introduced coffee to Europe around 1683.

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The Size of a French Bill Seems to Determine What It Is Worth, Says Boyle

Delayed)—(M)—In France the value of paper money is collected mostly by its size. With 500 franc notes it would be possible to paper nail the living room in a Manhattan apartment.

—He would take a strong man to carry more than a hundred bucks in francs — and even then to find room in his pockets he would have

to work with a pocket knife to get rid of the protection and personal comfort of his francs. Even when weapons are of no immediate use — such as during an artillery battle — they serve to give the soldier the feeling of absolute helplessness — which brings us back to Miller.

He safely evacuated from a hedgerow 20 wounded men, who were then moved down over 14 hours by

as possible be thrown into action had been mistaken. The units were disaffected was reported and gathered all available information. An official inquiry then was instituted.

The French had no planters, some say save in the Solomons and elsewhere in the South Seas. They were recruited as a special

There is a story circulating around the battlefield to the effect that one officer, **FRANCIS**, was on the counter while cutting in a small café and before he could retrieve it his proprietor had folded it up, put it in his pocket and walked off. **FRANCIS** was

The report said that some of them believed as a result of "ill-advised promises" that they were forming part of a special force and were for one spectacular and dramatic mission in which they would be sent to set home.

The report says that by June 1 the Marauders had been in operation about three weeks and had been successful in capturing and exhausting

Pvt. Marshall Miller of Greenville, S. C. is one of more than 100 Red Cross heroes whose only protection is the Red Cross they wear on an arm while they tend the wounded. Any number of doughboys with tell you with chilly breath in their
